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bid, *BidPrc* (*Bid Price*): the price for each working bid, *AskPrc* (*Ask Price*): the price for each working ask, *AskQty* (*Ask Quantity*): the quantity for each working ask, *LastPrc* (*Last Price*): the price for the last bid and ask that were matched in the market and *LastQty* (*Last Quantity*): the quantity traded at the last price. *Total* represents the total quantity traded of the given commodity.

Page 22, delete paragraph [0075], and replace this paragraph with the following in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121. A marked up version showing the changes in the specification is attached.

a2 Using the screen display and values from Figure 5, the placement of trade orders using the Mercury display and trading method is now described using examples. A left click on the 18 in the BidQ column 1201 will send an order to market to buy 17 lots (quantity # chosen on the Quantity Description pull down menu cell 1204) of the commodity at a price of 89 (the corresponding price in the Prc column 1203). Similarly, a left click on the 20 in the AskQ column 1202 will send an order to market to sell 17 lots at a price of 90.--

In the Claims:

a3 Please cancel claims 1-46 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add the following new claims:

1. A (New) A method for displaying market information relating to a commodity being traded in a market with a highest bid price and a lowest ask price on a graphical user interface, the method comprising:

dynamically displaying a plurality of bid indicators in a bid display region in association with price levels arranged along a common static axis of prices, each bid indicator representing quantity associated with a price level;

dynamically displaying a plurality of ask indicators in an ask display region in association with the price levels arranged along the common static price axis, each ask indicator representing quantity associated with a price level;